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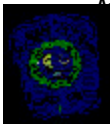
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No - Enforce dog license laws, cat license only where applicable

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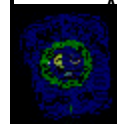
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